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For:

USING A VIRTUAL MACHINE INSTANCE AS THE BASIC UNIT OF USER EXECUTION IN A

SERVER ENVIRONMENT

DIRECTOR OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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TOTAL CLAIMS		18	MINUS	20	0	\$18	\$ 0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS		2	MINUS	3	0	\$86	\$ 0.00
Petition is hereby made under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) to extend the time for response to the Office Action of January 21, 2004 to and through April 21, 2004, for an extension of: One month (\$110) Two months (\$420) Three months (\$950) Four months (\$1480)							\$ 0.00
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TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE DUE:							\$ 0.00
	Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR § 1.27.						
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	Payment of \$ by Credit Card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.						
\boxtimes	The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account, including any filing fees under 37 CFR § 1.16 for presentation of extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17						

I hereby certify that this correspondence and all correspondence identified as accompanying this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Alexandria, VA, 22313-1450 on April 21, 2004.

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Respectfully submitted,

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